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For: **Clinical and Diagnostic Database**
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Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

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the application comprising:

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(i) 44 pages of description prior to the claims;

(ii) 7 pages of claims (claims 1-24); and

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(iii) 1 page abstract; and

b. Five (5) sheets of drawings (Figures 1-7);

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